## Amendment To the Drawings:

Please replace Fig. 1 with the attached Fig. 1 on new drawing sheet 1.

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<u>REMARKS</u>

Reconsideration of the above-referenced application in view of the above

amendment, and of the following remarks, is respectfully requested.

Claims 2 and 4-10 are pending in this case. Claims 2 and 4-10 stand allowed.

The Examiner objected to the drawings. Fig. 1 is amended to show the

underlying metal interconnect layer(s) 103 as requested by the Examiner. Accordingly,

Applicant respectfully requests that the objection now be withdrawn

In light of the above, Applicant respectfully requests continued allowance of

claims 2 and 4-10. If the Examiner has any questions or other correspondence

regarding this application, Applicant requests that the Examiner contact Applicant's

attorney at the below listed telephone number and address.

Respectfully submitted.

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